List of State-wise number of no-industry Districts

Sl. No.	State	Number
1.	Assam	2
2.	Bihar	6
3.	Gujarat	1
4.	Himachal Pradesh	5
5.	Jammu & Kashmir	7
6.	Karnataka	1
7.	Kerala	2
8.	Maharashtra	1
9.	Madhya Pradesh	18
10.	Manipur	6
11.	Meghalaya	4
12.	Nagaland	1
13.	Orissa	3
14.	Rajasthan	4
15.	Sikkim	4
16.	Tripura	3
17.	Uttar Pradesh	11
18.	West Bengal	5
19.	Andaman & Nicobar Island	1
20.	Arunachal Pradesh	4
21.	Lakshadweep	1
22.	Mizoram	2
23.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	1
	TOTAL :	93

Dispersal of industrial growth in backward areas

*154. SHRIMATI KAMLA SINHA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to do away with the concept of dispersal of industrial growth in the backward areas; and

(b) if so, the details thereof, and the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI P. J. KURIEN): (a) and (b) No Sir. For promoting industrialisation of backward areas in an effective manner, Government have introduced a Growth Centre Scheme in June, 1988.

Excess amount charged under DPEA from public sector drug units

*155. SHRI DHULESHWAR MEENA:
SHRIMATI SATYA BAHIN:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that public sector drug units have to pay the excess amount charged under DPEA;

(b) if so, the names of the drugs for which overcharging was done;

(c) the period for which the amount was overcharged on each item;

(d) whether Government have assessed the amount overcharged; and

(e) what is the amount deposited by them with Government till now ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI CHINTA MOHAN): (a) to (e) A statement is laid on the table of the Sabha.

Statement

As per tentative calculations, the liability of various public sector units comes to Rs. 446.24 lakhs, the details of which are given in the Annexure. They have not made any deposits so far.